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	A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION	I	
NAME OF BROKER-DEALER:	Investment Professionals, Inc.		OFFICIAL USE ONLY
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLAC	E OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)		FIRM I.D. NO.
16414 San Pedro Avenue	, Ste. 150		
	(No. and Street)		
San Antonio	TX		78232
(City)	(State)	(2	Zip Code)
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUME	BER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD	TO THIS REP	PORT
Jay McAnelly			210-308-8800
			(Area Code – Telephone Number
	B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION	V	
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOL	UNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Rep	ort*	
INDEFENDENT FUBLIC ACCOU	TWI AIVI whose opinion is contained in this Kep	OIT	
R. D. Harrison, CPA			
	(Name - if individual, state last, first, middle	name)	
P. O. Box 65076	San Antonio	TX	78265-5076
(Address)	(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)
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Ι, _	Jay McAnelly		, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
my		ial statement a	nd supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
•	Investment Professionals, Inc.		, as
of	December 31		, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
			or director has any proprietary interest in any account
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	* Notary Public, State of Texas		
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	(c) Statement of Income (Loss).		
X	(d) Statement of Changes in Financial Conditi-		
X.	(e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equ	uity or Partners	s' or Sole Proprietors' Capital.
Ø	(f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subord		
$\mathbf{K}$	(g) Computation of Net Capital.		
	(h) Computation for Determination of Reserve	Requirements	Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
	(i) Information Relating to the Possession or C		
			Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the
	Computation for Determination of the Res		
			ements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of
	consolidation.		
<b>V</b>	(l) An Oath or Affirmation.		
X	(m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.		
		es found to exis	st or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.

^{**}For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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#### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

Board of Directors Investment Professionals, Inc. San Antonio, Texas

I have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Investment Professionals, Inc. as of December 31, 2014, and the related statements of income, changes in stockholders' equity, changes in liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors, and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of Investment Professionals, Inc.'s management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. I believe that my audit provides a reasonable basis for my opinion.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Investment Professionals, Inc. as of December 31, 2014, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

The Computation of Aggregate Indebtedness and Net Capital Under Rule 1.5c3-1 has been subjected to audit procedures performed in conjunction with the audit of Investment Professionals, Inc.'s financial statements. The supplemental information is the responsibility of Investment Professionals, Inc.'s management. My audit procedures included determining whether the supplemental information reconciles to the financial statements or the underlying accounting and other records, as applicable, and performing procedures to test the completeness and accuracy of the information presented in the supplemental information. I evaluated whether the supplemental information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with 17 C.F.R. § 240.17a-5. In my opinion, the Computation of Aggregate Indebtedness and Net Capital Under Rule 1.5c3-1 is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

R. D. Harrison, CPA San Antonio, Texas

R.D. Haim

#### INVESTMENT PROFESSIONALS, INC. Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2014

#### **ASSETS**

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	<u>2014</u>
Cash and cash equivalents Investment securities Accounts receivable – clearance and commissions Accounts receivable - other Prepaid expenses and deposits Furniture and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of \$2,918,145 in 2014 and \$2,673,696 in 2013	\$ 5,449,445. 99,774. 1,458,756. 1,779,640. 898,998. <u>453,255.</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 10,139,868.</u>
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	
Liabilities: Accounts payable and accrued expenses Commissions payable	\$ 2,560,528. 2,334,115.
Short positions	13,370.
Total Liabilities	4,908,013.
Liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors	
Stockholders' equity: Common stock, \$0.10 par value - Authorized 100,000 shares; issued	
and outstanding: 11,400 shares	1,140.
Paid-in capital	372,871
Retained earnings	4,857,844
Total stockholders' equity	5,231,855
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 10,139,868

See notes to financial statements.

#### INVESTMENT PROFESSIONALS, INC. Statement of Income Year Ended December 31, 2014

	<u>2014</u>
Revenue:	
Commissions - Securities	\$ 27,277,924.
Commissions - Insurance	22,842,301.
Advisory Fees	7,095,583.
Other	<u>1,953,343.</u>
Total Revenue	59,169,151.
Clearing Charges and Commission Expense	40,948,425.
Net Revenue	18,220,726.
Expenses:	
Compensation and Benefits	7,124,768.
Other	<u>5,224,169.</u>
Total Expenses	12,348,937.
Net Income	<u>\$ 5,871,789.</u>

## INVESTMENT PROFESSIONALS, INC. Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity Year Ended December 31, 2014

	 ommon Stock	Paid-in <u>Capital</u>	Retained <u>Earnings</u>	<u>Total</u>	
Balance January 1, 2014	\$ 1,140.	\$ 372,871.	\$ 4,749,839.	\$ 5,123,850.	
Net Income	-	-	5,871,789.	5,871,789.	
Dividend	 	 <u> </u>	(5,763,784)	(5,763,784.)	
Balance December 31, 2014	\$ <u>1,140.</u>	\$ 372,871.	<u>\$4,857,844.</u>	<u>\$5,231,855.</u>	

# INVESTMENT PROFESSIONALS, INC. Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to the Claims of General Creditors Year Ended December 31, 2014

Subordinated liabilities, January 1, 2014	\$ <u>=</u>
Subordinated liabilities, December 31, 2014	\$ _

#### INVESTMENT PROFESSIONALS, INC. Statement of Cash Flows Year Ended December 31, 2014

OPERATING ACTIVITIES:	<u>2014</u>
Net income	\$ 5,871,789.
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net	+ 0,0.2,.00.
cash used by operating activities -	
Depreciation	244,449.
(Increase) Decrease in receivables (Increase) Decrease in prepaids	(913,342)
Increase (Decrease in prepaids	81,654. 1,430,932.
mercuse (becrease) in payables	1,430,932.
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	6,715,482.
INVESTING ACTIVITIES:	
(Purchase)/Sale of investment securities - net	653,687.
Purchase of furniture and equipment	(116,008)
NET CASH PROVIDED BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES	537,679.
FINANCING ACTIVITIES:	
Dividend	(5,763,784)
NET CASH USED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES	<u>(5,763,784)</u>
INCREASE (DESPEASE) IN CASH AND CASH FOLINGALENCE	
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	<u>1,489,377.</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	3,960,068.
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Interest cost paid in cash	\$
Federal income taxes paid in cash	<u>\$</u>

See notes to financial statements.

#### NOTE A - NATURE OF BUSINESS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Nature of Business: Investment Professionals, Inc. (a wholly-owned subsidiary of Investment Holdings Corporation) is a Texas corporation formed in 1992, for the purpose of conducting business as a broker/dealer in securities. The Company serves primarily individual and institutional customers in Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Michigan, Mississippi, Missouri, New Mexico, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, Utah, West Virginia and Wisconsin.

The Company operates under the provisions of Paragraph (k)(2)(ii) of Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission and, accordingly, is exempt from the remaining provisions of that Rule. Essentially, the requirements of Paragraph (k)(2)(ii) provide that the Company clear all transactions on behalf of customers on a fully disclosed basis with a clearing broker/dealer, and promptly transmit all customer funds and securities to the clearing broker/dealer. The clearing broker/dealer carries all of the accounts of the customers and maintains and preserves all related books and records as are customarily kept by a clearing broker/dealer.

The following is a summary of the Company's significant accounting policies:

<u>Securities Transactions and Trade Date Basis Securities Purchases</u>: Proprietary securities transactions, commission revenue and related expenses are recorded on a trade date basis. Liabilities for trade date basis purchases of securities represent obligations to the Company's clearing broker for transactions executed but not yet settled relating to securities purchased by the Company and held for resale (securities owned). Securities owned and securities sold, but not yet purchased, are valued at market with the resulting net unrealized gains and losses included in earnings of the current period.

<u>Use of Estimates</u>: The preparation of financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from these estimates.

<u>Cash Equivalents</u>: For purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Company has defined cash equivalents as short-term, highly liquid debt instruments purchased with a maturity of three months or less, other than securities held for sale in the ordinary course of business. The Company invests its excess cash in money market funds.

<u>Investment Securities</u>: Investment securities are classified as "available for sale" and carried in the financial statements at fair value. Realized and unrealized gains and losses, determined using the specific identification method, are included in earnings.

<u>Fair Value of Financial Assets and Liabilities</u>: Fair value for the Company's Financial Assets and Liabilities is determined using the methodology and hierarchy established by Generally Accepted Accounting Principles. The hierarchy established by GAAP prioritizes the inputs for

#### NOTE A - NATURE OF BUSINESS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, continued

valuation. The three levels of input are:

- Level 1 Unadjusted quoted price in active markets for identical assets and liabilities.
- Level 2 Observable inputs other than quoted prices that can be applied either directly or indirectly. These inputs may include quoted prices for similar assets, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, yield curves, default risk and similar data.
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs, to the extent observable inputs are not available, representing Management's assumptions about assumptions a market participant would use in valuing the asset or liability and would be based upon the best information available.

All of the Company's investment securities and short-positions are valued using the Level 1 input or the Level II input. Level II prices are obtained from independent, third-party valuation/pricing services.

<u>Furniture and Equipment</u>: Furniture and equipment is stated at cost or fair market value at the date of contribution, net of accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is computed by the straight-line method over five years.

<u>Income Taxes</u>: The Company has elected to be taxed under the provisions of Subchapter S of the Internal Revenue Code. Under those provisions, the Company does not pay federal corporate income taxes on its taxable income. Instead, the stockholders are liable for individual federal income taxes on their respective shares of the Company net income. The Company has no uncertain tax positions and tax returns for years prior to 2011 are no longer subject to examination by federal or state taxing authorities.

<u>Date of Management Review</u>: Subsequent events have been evaluated through February 21, 2015, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

#### NOTE B – NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission uniform net capital rule (Rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of a minimum amount of net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. Rule 15c3-1 also provides that equity capital may not be withdrawn or cash dividends paid if

the resulting net capital ratio would exceed 10 to 1. At December 31, 2014 the Company had net capital and net capital requirements of \$1,775,032 and \$309,643, respectively. The NOTE C – INVESTMENT SECURITIES AND SHORT POSITIONS

At December 31, 2014 and 2013, the Company held the following investment securities and short positions:

	_		Fair Value	
Description:	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Level I</u>	<u>Level II</u>	<u>Total</u>
December 31, 2014 Investment Securities:				
Stocks & Mutual Funds	\$ 24,207	\$ 23,144	\$ -	\$ 23,144
<b>Government Securities</b>	42,596	-	44,428	44,428
Municipal Bonds	32,987	-	31,679	31,679
Foreign Currency	593	<u>523</u>		<u> 523</u>
	<u>\$ 100,383</u>	<u>\$ 23,667</u>	<u>\$ 76,107</u>	<u>\$ 99,774</u>
Short Positions:				
Municipal Bonds	\$10,205	-	\$ 10,547	\$ 10,547
Foreign Currency	2,667	2,823		2,823
	<u>\$ 12,872</u>	\$ 2,823	\$ 10,547	\$ 13,370

#### NOTE D – COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

The Company leases its office space under operating lease agreements expiring July 31, 2017. Rent expense for the years ended December 31, 2014 was \$468,469 and is included in general and administrative expenses in the accompanying statement of income.

At December 31, 2014, the aggregate minimum rental commitments under these operating leases were as follows:

2015	\$ 420,000
2016	410,000
2017	230,000

In the normal course of business, the Company can be named as a defendant in legal actions, including arbitration, and other litigation. The Company can also be subjected to investigations and proceedings by federal and state agencies and self-regulatory agencies, certain of which may result in adverse judgments, fines or penalties. The Company believes that it has adequately provided for any potential liability which may result from any such activities.

#### NOTE E - OFF-BALANCE-SHEET RISK & CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

As discussed in Note A, the Company's customers securities transactions are introduced on a fully-disclosed basis with its clearing broker/dealer. The clearing broker/dealer carries all of the accounts of the customers of the Company and is responsible for execution, collection of and payment of funds, and receipt and delivery of securities relative to customer transactions. Off-balance-sheet risk exists with respect to these transactions due to the possibility that customers may be unable to fulfill their contractual commitments wherein the clearing broker/dealer may charge any losses it incurs to the Company. The Company seeks to minimize this risk through procedures designed to monitor the credit worthiness of its customers and that customer transactions are executed properly by the clearing broker/dealer.

As discussed in Note A, the Company invests its excess cash in money market funds with its clearing broker/dealer. These investments are insured by the Securities Investors Protection Corporation and by private insurance obtained by the clearing broker/dealer. Any amount not covered by such insurance is at risk due to this concentration of credit risk.

#### NOTE F - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company shares its offices and certain of its employees with SB Value Partners, L.P. (SBV: a registered investment advisor). SBV is owned by the shareholders of the Company. SBV was paid advisory fees by customers of the Company of \$1,885,132 for the year ended December 31, 2014. The Company is reimbursed for certain salary and administrative and travel costs by SBV. In addition, one of SBV's investment funds reimbursed the Company for certain salary and trading and clearing costs. The total reimbursed by SBV for salary costs was \$1,186,294 and for administrative and travel costs was \$256,084 for the year ended December 31, 2014. The total reimbursed by SBV's investment fund for salary was \$1,575,075 and for trading and clearing costs was \$1,861,443 for the year ended December 31, 2014. At December 31, 2014 SBV owed the Company \$924,226 for year-end bonuses.

During the year ended December 31, 2011, the Company's parent company Investment Holdings Corporation, Inc. (IHC) received five million dollars as consideration and inducement to agree to allow its subsidiary to renew and extend its clearing agreement with Pershing LLC. If the Company terminates the clearing agreement during the first three years, the five million dollars must be repaid to Pershing LLC with proportionally-reduced payments for the remaining five years. In consideration for the assignment of the right to receive these proceeds, IHC has assumed the obligation to pay the termination fee, if any. The Company, nor its parent company IHC, have no present intention to terminate the clearing agreement.

### INVESTMENT PROFESSIONALS, INC. Computation of Aggregate Indebtedness

#### and Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 – Schedule I December 31, 2014

	<u>2014</u>
Aggregate indebtedness:	
Trade payable and accrued expenses	\$ 4,894,643.
Less: reserves	250,000.
Total aggregate indebtedness	<u>\$ 4,644,643.</u>
Minimum required net capital	\$ 309,643.
Net capital:	
Stockholders' equity	\$ 5,231,855.
Deductions -	
Accounts receivable – clearance	302,969.
Accounts receivable - other	1,779,640.
Prepaid expenses and deposits	898,998.
Furniture and equipment – net	453,255.
Haircuts on securities owned	21,961.
Net capital	1,775,032.
Minimum required net capital	309,643.
Capital in excess of minimum requirement	<u>\$ 1,465,389.</u>
Ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital	<u>2.6167 to 1</u>

There were no differences with amounts reported in Part IIA of form X-17A-5.

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#### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

Board of Directors Investment Professionals, Inc. San Antonio, Texas

I have reviewed management's statements, included in the accompanying Exemption Report, in which (1) Investment Professionals, Inc. identified the following provisions of 17 C.F.R. § 15c3-3(k) under which Investment Professionals, Inc. identified the following provisions of 17 C.F.R. § 15c3-3(k) under which Investment Professionals, Inc. claimed an exemption from 17 C.F.R. § 240.15c3-3: Paragraph (k)(2)(ii) (the "exemption provisions") and (2) Investment Professionals, Inc. stated that Investment Professionals, Inc. met the identified exemption provisions throughout the most recent fiscal year without exception. Investment Professionals, Inc.'s management is responsible for compliance with the exemption provisions and its statements.

My review was conducted in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) and, accordingly, included inquiries and other required procedures to obtain evidence about Investment Professionals, Inc. compliance with the exemption provisions. A review is substantially less in scope than an examination, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion on management's statements. Accordingly, I do not express such an opinion.

Based on my review, I am not aware of any material modifications that should be made to management's statements referred to above for them to be fairly stated, in all material respects, based on the conditions set forth in paragraph (k) (2)(ii) of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

R. D. Harrison, CPA San Antonio, Texas

R.D. Haim

### Investment Professionals, Inc. Exemption Report Year Ended December 31, 2014

To the best of our knowledge and belief, we are claiming exemption under Rule 15(c)3-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 under the following provision:

The Company claims exemption under rule 15(c)3-3, paragraph (k)(2)(ii) as an introducing broker or dealer, who clears all transactions with and for customers on a fully disclosed basis with a clearing broker or dealer, and who promptly transmits all customer funds and securities to the clearing broker or dealer which carries all of the accounts of such customers and maintains and preserves such books and records pertaining thereto pursuant to the requirements of §§240.17a-3 and 240.17a-4, as are customarily made and kept by a clearing broker or dealer.

The Company met the identified exemption provisions without exception throughout the year ended December 31, 2014.

Investment Professionals, Inc.

By

Jay McArlelly, President

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### INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES RELATED TO AN ENTITY'S SIPC ASSESSMENT RECONCILIATION

Board of Directors Investment Professionals, Inc. San Antonio, Texas

In accordance with Rule 17a-5(e)(4) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, I have performed the procedures enumerated below with respect to the accompanying Schedule of Assessment and Payments [General Assessment Reconciliation (Form SIPC-7)] to the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC) for the year ended December 31, 2014, which were agreed to by Investment Professionals, Inc. and the Securities and Exchange Commission, Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. and SIPC, solely to assist you and the other specified parties in evaluating Investment Professionals Inc.'s compliance with the applicable instructions of the General Assessment Reconciliation (Form SIPC-7). Investment Professionals, Inc.'s management is responsible for the Investment Professionals, Inc.'s compliance with those requirements. This agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of these procedures is solely the responsibility of those parties specified in this report. Consequently, I make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose. The procedures I performed and my findings are as follows:

- 1. Compared the listed assessment payments in Form SIPC-7 with respective cash disbursement records entries noting no differences;
- 2. Compared the amounts reported on the audited Form X-17A-5 for the year ended December 31, 2014, as applicable, with the amounts reported in Form SIPC-7 for the year ended December 31, 2014 noting no differences;
- 3. Compared any adjustments reported in Form SIPC-7 with supporting schedules and working papers noting no differences;
- 4. Proved the arithmetical accuracy of the calculations reflected in Form SIPC-7 and in the related schedules and working papers supporting the adjustments noting no differences.

I was not engaged to, and did not conduct an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on compliance. Accordingly, I do not express such an opinion. Had I performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to my attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the specified parties listed above and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

R. D. Harrison, CPA San Antonio, Texas

R. D. Hain

### SIPC-7

(33-REV 7/10)

### SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION P.O. Box 92185 Washington, D.C. 20090-2185 202-371-8300

#### General Assessment Reconciliation

(33-REV 7/10)

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/2014 (Read carefully the instructions in your Working Copy before completing this Form)

#### TO BE FILED BY ALL SIPC MEMBERS WITH FISCAL YEAR ENDINGS

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#### DETERMINATION OF "SIPC NET OPERATING REVENUES" AND GENERAL ASSESSMENT

Amounts for the fiscal period beginning 1/1/2014 and ending 12/31/2014

item No. 2a. Total revenue (FOCUS Line 12/Part IIA Line 9, Code 4030)	Eliminate cents \$ 59,169,151
2b. Additions: (1) Total revenues from the securities business of subsidiaries (except foreign subsidiaries) and predecessors not included above.	
(2) Net loss from principal transactions in securities in trading accounts.	MANAGEMENT CHEST WATER TO THE CONTROL OF THE CONTRO
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'(4) Interest and dividend expense deducted in determining item 2a.	MAINTEN CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROP
(5) Net loss from management of or participation in the underwriting or distribution of securities.	
(6) Expenses other than advertising, prinling, registration fees and legal fees deducted in determining net profit from management of or participation in underwriting or distribution of securities.	MAATIN MATERIAL MATER
(7) Net loss from securities in investment accounts.	
Total additions	Name Control of Contro
2c. Deductions: (1) Revenues from the distribution of shares of a registered open end investment company or unit investment trust, from the sale of variable annuities, from the business of insurance, from investment advisory services rendered to registered investment companies or insurance company separate accounts, and from transactions in security futures products.	26,124,856
(2) Revenues from commodity transactions.	
(3) Commissions, floor brokerage and clearance paid to other SIPC members in connection with securities transactions.	628,391
(4) Reimbursements for postage in connection with proxy solicitation.	
(5) Net gain from securities in investment accounts.	
(6) 100% of commissions and markups earned from transactions in (i) certificates of deposit and (ii) Treasury bills, bankers acceptances or commercial paper that mature nine months or less from issuance date.	
(7) Direct expenses of printing advertising and legal fees incurred in connection with other revenue related to the securities business (revenue defined by Section 16(9)(L) of the Act).	water 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 - 1997 -
(8) Other revenue not related either directly or indirectly to the securities business. (See Instruction C):	
(Deductions in excess of \$100,000 require documentation)	
(9) (i) Total interest and dividend expense (FOCUS Line 22/PART IIA Line 13, Code 4075 plus line 2b(4) above) but not in excess of total interest and dividend income.  (II) 40% of margin interest earned on customers securities accounts (40% of FOCUS line 5, Code 3960).	
Enter the greater of line (i) or (ii)	WARRANTON TO THE TOTAL OF THE T
Total deductions	26,753,247
2d. SIPC Net Operating Revenues	\$ <u>32,415,904</u>
2e. General Assessment @ .0025	\$81,039.76
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